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Thursday, May 7

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Caller says, 'Dump

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This is the same woman who,

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And she spent a great deal of that

money while she voted to cut out

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Public employees get more benefits than work-

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In the May 3-9 issue of Eyewit-

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ing on the public payroll. I'd like

to have everybody go to the li-

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Barring rain or windy con-

ditions the city's expanded

twin aerial spray efforts to

curb local gypsy moth infesta-

tions should be held today,

David Cox, assistant to Mayor

William Oakley, revealed on

In addition, Cox said ex-

tended efforts also will be

made to offer ground spraying

options for those not covered

by either of the aerial spray

Romulus residents needing

further information on the

gypsy moth spraying efforts

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When Wayne-Westland voters go to the polls in June, they should remember two words:

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believe that she received].

months later, No, I'm against it.





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Probe of racial incidents asked

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MCN Staff Writer

Ugly charges of police racism were raised Monday night by a neighborhood of African Americans, who claim Romulus "bike cops" have repeatedly harassed dark skinned motorists and attacked a mother who came to the aid of her sons.

Mayor William Oakley publicly apologized to the alleged woman victim, Jennie Johnson, but said he realized that his words did not stop the pain she was suffering.

Johnson -- who appeared with her arm in a partial cast said she ran out of her house dressed only in her pajamas recently, when she saw police had stopped her sons in her

But the bicycle policemen then turned their force on her,

Johnson said, as they threw her into a ditch and severely injured her arm. The incident caused her such trauma that she urinated on her pajamas causing her further discom-

She stated the police dragged her down the street in

her pajamas and later took her to a Romulus police cell and forced to put up \$200 to be bailed out.

Other neighbors supported her claims by saying they didn't know why it took so many strong male police officers to subdue such a small woman. One witness declared "they treated her like Hercules rather than the fine woman she is."

Other citizens complained they are continually stopped by the "bike cops," who search their vehicles (sometimes with the new K-9 Corps dogs) supposedly for possible drugs.

"Finding none, they usually just turn and leave us without filing any charges or traffic summonses. Then they stop us again a few days later if not before," repeated residents told the council.

"This is the 90's not the 60's..." most of the witnesses said Monday night.

Mayor pro tem Randolph Gear, the lone African American on the council, pressed Oakley for an investigation of the widespread charges and asked that the council get a printed report on the various incidents.

Johnson's husband, Richard, gave City Clerk Linda Choate a list of names and addresses of people who could

testify in such a probe. Most of the harassment and racial complaints seemed to center on two or more Community Police Officers. They also asked that African American officers be assigned to the neighborhood, and if not at least officers who could respect the residents there.

Willie Watson, a former city employee and also an African American, who is the stepfather of the injured woman, also asked for a change of treatment by the local police officers.

Watson said he already had talked to Police Chief Charles Kirby and asked that some small social gatherings be created where the police officers can get to know the African American citizens they serve.

No time frames were outlined for the recommended probe or the turning over of the requested written report on the incidents.

Anti-noise petitions being passed out

By AL POST MCN Staff Writer

Petitions stating many Romulus-Huron Township residents are not satisfied with Wayne County's efforts in sound-proofing local homes are now being prepared, homeowner Todd Kiser told the Romulus City Council on Monday night.

Kiser dropped off scores of prepared petitions that he urged be sent to the Federal Aviation Authority so officials know that residents here are not happy with the speed of county actions on the airport noise issue.

Kiser had appeared late last month at a joint meeting of the Romulus City Council and the Detroit Metro Airport authorities to outline his personal displeasure with the anti-noise

program. Wayne County Noise Czarina Colleen Pobur of Plymouth appeared along with Airport Director David Katz and explained that county/ airport efforts had escalated in the sound proofing of homes and buying up home/ properties of those wishing to leave the area.

Various citizens and elected officials are wondering if the spur of activity will slow or stop after the August Democratic primary -- in which incumbent Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara is being challenged by area attorney Sharon McPhail.

Kiser said that petitions (he is urging residents to sign) can be found at both Choate's office and that of Huron Township Supervisor David A. Glaab.

Each petition which strongly condemns county action on airport noise issues mentions both McNamara and former Noise Czar Sean Brosnan by name.

Kiser said it is important that federal authorities know that many Romulus residents are not happy with the airport growth cycle. "Without filing these petitions, authorities outside Michigan will accept McNamara's comments that we are happy with proceedings here."

Basham is seeking 2nd term as 'rep'

By AL POST MCN Staff Writer

State Rep. Raymond Basham, (D-Taylor) who outlasted four other candidates in 1997 to succeed former State Rep. Gregory Pitoniak, is now planning to seek re-election this fall.

To date no other Democrat or Republican has come forward to challenge Basham.

Basham, who has risen through the political ranks in Taylor, revealed he will press on environmental, lifestyle improvement and education issues in his effort to regain the Democratic nomination and the ultimate victory in Novem-

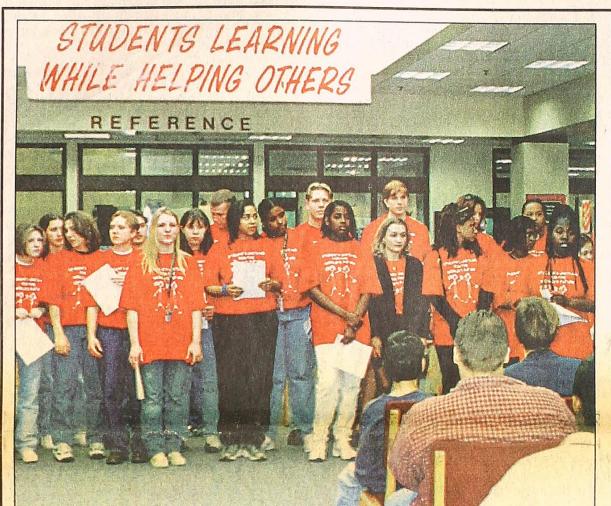
"I have serious concerns regarding the operation of commercial hazardous waste disposal wells in Michigan,' Basham said. "While disposal wells may be considered theoretically sound, the verdict is still out on the long term effects of burying hazardous wastes within the earth's geological formations.'

The 22nd state representative district is considered a Democratic stronghold and thus if Basham holds on to the Demcratic backing this August, he should be a shoe-in this fall.

The former Taylor councilman also served as a planning and water commissioner, constable and auxiliary police of-

Environmental deepwell, education as well as Detroit Metro Airport noise and road issues will be the main factors in the upcoming state rep seat competition if Basham develops any challengers.

At this point it appears no Romulus residents will file to run against Basham.



Better world

Romulus High School students welcome visiting youth from nine neighboring school districts to their fifth annual symposium last week featuring numerous sessions relating to the theme Students United for a Better World.

Cymonne changed many lives for better,' pastor says

By AL POST MCN Staff Writer

Fearless 10-year-old Romulus student Cymonne Pyles was eulogized last Saturday by her recent pastor, the Rev. Gary Hill, as being a girl who loved life, but wasn't afraid to

Hill, pastor of Emmanuel General Baptist Church of Allen Park, remembers Cymonne calling him on his radio show months ago and sang in a weak voice "His Eye is on the Spar-

Cymonne, who has been suffering from a rare noncancerous brain tumor for over two years, died on April

He added "despite her young age, (she just turned 10 in February) Cymonne presented a very mature image and inspired many she met with her strong belief in Jesus Christ. Because of her actions, she changed many lives."

Hill used a tape recording of Cymonne's singing at her funeral including the portion that states "I sing because I'm happy. I sing because I'm free. His eye is on the sparrow and I know he watches me."

After playing the recording, Hill said Cymonne's dad, Jeff Pyles, brought tears to many eyes as he stepped up and sang the same song to his late

daughter. Hill said he also was im-



called the radio station WLQV-AM to express her thanks for all who had helped her and her family during her health crisis. In addition to her dad, her family includes her mother, Deborah; a brother, Brock (a Romulus Middle School student); a sister, Tarah, a third grade student at Hale Creek and a year old sister, Asia

attended her funeral last Satrial Park in Flat Rock.

Cymonne Pyles pressed that Cymonne once

Many of her family, friends, classmates and teachers at Hale Creek Elementary School urday conducted by the Howe-Peterson Funeral Home of Taylor. Her remains were later laid to rest at Michigan Memo-

Hill said the funeral was conducted symbolically in the form of a "Going Home Celebration" during which time various persons attending the service were encouraged to stand up and explain what Cymonne had meant to them. Lynn Mossoian, her school

principal, revealed a memorial service for Cymonne is being planned by the school's Parent Teacher Guild for Cymonne's teachers and fellow students to join in before the end of the school year.

For two days following Cymonne's death, Romulus school counselors traveled to Hale Creek School to help her former classmates with their grieving process.

Mossoian praised those efforts, since Cymonne's illness was a deep concern to her classmates.

Last November her pediatric neuro-surgeon Dr. Paul Kanev joined Cymonne at an extensive medical discussion about her illness attended by both teachers and fellow students.

Persons wishing to aid the Pyles family can send their donations in her name to any National Bank of Detroit branch or drop off cash or checks in the office of Mayor William Oakley for the next month.

A follow up story containing many tributes to Cymonne from her friends and family will appear in next week's edition of the Romulus Roman.

Police Beat

By RITA BEDELL

MCN Police Writer

Romulus Reports

A visitor at the Fairfield Inn on Flynn Dr. returned to their

gone on April 23. The hub caps belonged to a as well as charge cards. 1997 Buick.

Police were called to Romulus High School on April 24. A student left her purse unattended in the class room and vehicle to find their hub caps someone walked off with it.



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The purse contained her ID,

A car parked in the 8600 block of Wickham Road was broken into on April 24.

A red metal box containing a passport, various personal papers and \$600 in foreign coins was stolen. It is unknown if the vehicle was locked.

A juvenile from the 35000 block of Wick Road was robbed of personal belongings on April 24.

The kid was being harassed and was flashed a 'gang sign' by occupants of a small white

The occupants were one white girl, two black men, and one white man. One of the black men confronted the juvenile, and, after striking him in the face and kicking him, stole the gold necklace off his

The attack occurred at approximately 2:20pm.

A license plate (5389J) was stolen off a 1985 Mercedes that was parked at the Fairfield Inn on April 25.

Hubcaps were stolen from a 1997 Buick Regal that was parked at the Royce Hotel on

A juvenile rode his bike to the Shell station at Michelle and Wayne Road on April 25.

While inside making his purchase, the bike, a blue Magna 24", 18 speed, was stolen by a black male, approximately 30 years old, 150 lbs.

A red 1990 Dodge truck, plate number KD9119 was stolen from a home in the 6800 block of Niagara between 1:30am and 4am on April 26.

A 1990 Buick Regal that was stolen within the City of Westland was recovered on April 26 in the 7600 block of Merriman by the Romulus Police Department.

A Motorola cell phone was stolen from a car that was parked in the lot of Federal Screw

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Works on April 28.

Four wheel covers were stolen from a 1996 Chrysler that was parked at the Hampton Inn on April 28.

The window of a 1990 Escort was broken out on April 28. The car, which was parked in front of a home in the 15400 block of Brandt, had had the same window broken 2 weeks ago.

The rear passenger window of a 1993 Ford was broken out on April 29.

The Ford was parked in the 38100 block of Walnut.

A dark blue 26" mens bicycle with "Instinct" lettered on the frame was stolen in the over night hours of April 30 from a home in the 15800 block of Ridgebrook.

At least 5 vehicle from the south end of the Oakbrook Subdivision, south end, were reported to have windows shattered overnight by a BB or CO2 pellett gun(s) on May 1.

Wayne Fire Reports

The City of Wayne Fire Department reports that they responded to 1 house fire, 1 vehicle fire, 3 "other" fires and 28 rescue calls from April 20 through April 27, 1998.

Van Buren Reports

A medical emergency was responded to from the 42000 block of Lincoln.

The emergency turned out to be an intoxicated juvenile and he was transferred over to his parents.

A caller from the 1000 block of Sumpter Road reported malicious destruction of property on April 24.

Someone called police from the China King Restaurant to report a suspicious looking

man at the location on April

The man turned out to be an employee of the restaurant.

A breaking and entering report was made from the 51000 block of Sylvia on April 24 at 7:50pm.

Red Roof Inn called police to report some disorderly people on their premises on April

Police arrived and removed the problem.

A patron of Meijers was cited for retail fraud on April 24 in the late evening hours.

A verbal domestic dispute sent officers to the 51000 block of Colony Lane on April 25 at 12:30am.

Police were called to Parkwood Manor for 2 separate incidents on April 25 in the very early morning hours.

First call was to the 8800 block of Parkwood for a fight. Then to the 9200 block for a disorderly person.

A call from the 10000 block of Belleville Road made a report on charges of embezzlement.

A warrant arrest was made on April 25 at Rawsonville and I-94. The suspect was later bonded out.

Someone from the 900 block of Savage Road called to report shots being fired.

Turned out it was legal, the man was target shooting.

The fire department had to go to a field at Tyler near I-275 and put out a small field fire on April 25.

A domestic assault report was made from the 51000 block of Landmark on April 25.

A patron of the Wagon Wheel called police to report a vehicle being stolen.

Turned out that the vehicle was not stolen, it was a private tow being made.

At 6:15pm on April 25, po-

lice were called to Meijer's for 2 separate retail fraud cases. Two arrests were made upon arrival.

Police were called back to Meijers the same day at 6:30pm due to someone claiming possible child abuse.

Turned out to be a false report.

A domestic/civil call was received from the Parkwood Manor complex on April 25. A civil report was filed with po-

Someone called from the Haggerty Sub to report a reckless driver. Police could not locate the suspect when they searched the sub.

Some disorderly men had the management of McDonald's calling police on April 25 in the late evening

The were gone when police arrived.

Someone called from a location on Wheeler stating that there was a homeless child trying to get into a home.

Police could not locate the child when they arrived at the

A domestic violence report was made from a home on Vernon on April 25 at 9:30pm.

A resident of the Van Buren Estates was transported to the hospital on April 25 due to self

A juvenile was reported missing from Harbour Club, and was later located in De-

inflicted stab wounds.

Police were put on alert for a call stating that there was a drunk driver seen at I-94 and Rawsonvile Road.

Officers were not able to locate the drunk in their vicinity.

Someone called from Leggs Lounge on April 27 to report a missing person.

When police arrived to take

the report, the caller could not be found. A caller from Bell and

Ecorse Roads stated that they heard shots being fired. Upon investigation, it was found to be coming from the dump.

A business alarm went off at Kirkridge Park on April 27. Police arrived to find it was an employee error.

Two warrant arrests were

made on April 27. The first was

on West Huron River Drive, and the next, 3 minutes later on Michigan Avenue. Police were called to a loca-

tion at the Haggerty Center for possible drug activity.

Nothing suspicious was found when officers arrived.

A business on the South Service Drive called police and asked them to come to their location because they were firing an employee and anticipated problems.

Police arrived, the employee had left without a fight.

A caller from Woodbury stated that their was a vehicle in the fire lane. No citation was issued as

there was no sign stating 'no parking' or 'fire lane'.

Someone called from Lakeview on April 27 to make a soliciting complaint.

The caller stated that there was a subject looking in their windows The suspect was gone when police arrived.

A felony warrant was served in the Haggerty Subdivision on April 27. The warrant was served and arrest was made without incident.

A resident of Girlstown was reported as "out of control" on

The resident was taken into police custody for some cool down time at about 8pm.

At 9:20pm, police were called to Girlstown again for an assault on a staff member. A report was made.

Someone called from the area of Ecorse and Denton to report a Kangaroo running loose in the area.

Police arrived and believe that the Kangaroo is actually a deer.

A 'smoke' investigation was made on April 30. Turned out to be a lawn mower that had oil put in the gas tank.

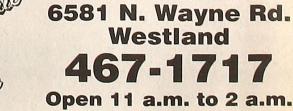
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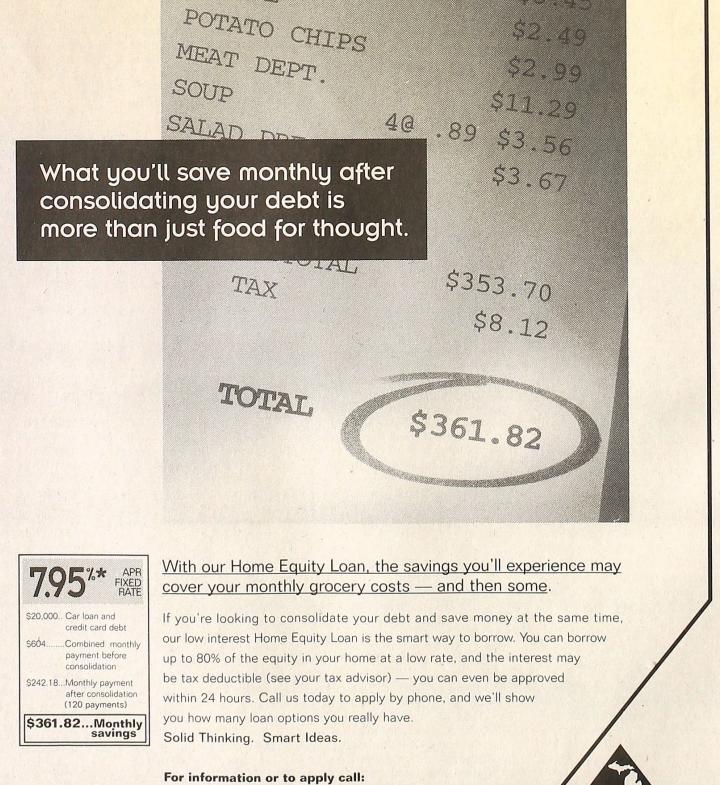
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Drunken hockey fans arrested

early morning hours of the Joe Louis Arena, 10 officers

During the late night and Red Wing's first playoff win at

ROMULUS HOUSING COMMISSION **PUBLIC NOTICE** REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL

The U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) has provided funding to establish a computer learning center to train public housing residents and staff in computer technology skills, and to provide for training in video/photographic documentation skills. The two projects will run for approximately sixteen weeks, starting June 1, 1998 through September 21, 1998, at the Romulus Housing Commission management office. 34200 Beverly Road, Romulus,

We are also seeking the services of a program Grant Administrator to provide grant management services for all program activities under this grant. For information concerning submitting a proposal for any of the services listed, please contact the Romulus Housing Commission office, at area code (734) 729-5389. All proposals must be received not later than May 11, 1998, by 1:00 p.m.

Publish: April 30, 1998 May 3, 1998 May 7, 1998

NOTICE

NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE ROMULUS COMMUNITY SCHOOL DISTRICT COUNTY OF WAYNE, MICHIGAN FOR THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

TO BE HELD MONDAY, JUNE 8, 1998 To the qualified Electors of the Romulus Community School District, County of Wayne, State of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that, in conformity with the "Michigan Election Laws," I, the undersigned City Clerk, will upon any day EXCEPT Sunday, a legal holiday, and the day of any regular or special election, receive for registration the name of any resident not registered, who may APPLY for such registration EXCEPT during the time intervening between the CLOSE of Registration for the Annual School Election and the day of such election.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that voter registrations will be taken at any Secretary of State branch office or, in the Office of the City Clerk, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485 between the hours of:

> Monday thru Friday - 8:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. AND THE LAST DAY TO REGISTER Monday, May 11, 1998 - 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

For the purpose of REVIEWING THE REGISTRATION LIST AND REGISTERING such of the qualified electors that shall properly apply therefor, the name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the City of Romulus, at the time of registration, and entitled under the Constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election shall be entered in the registration book.

The following vacancies for member of the Board of Education will be voted upon in the Romulus Community School District:

TWO (2) FOUR (4) YEAR TERMS

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Romulus Community Schools, County of Wayne, Michigan.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk City of Romulus, Michigan

Publish: April 30, 1998 May 7, 1998

CITY OF ROMULUS

MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL MEETING OF THE ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL **HELD APRIL 8, 1998**

The meeting will called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Mayor Pro Tem

Randolph Gear. Present: LeRoy D. Burcroff, William A. Crova, Randolph Gear, Donald R. Morris, Michael A. Prybyla, Debbie Romak, William J. Wad-

Absent: None. Excused: None.

Administrative Officials in Attendance: William Oakley, Mayor

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk

Pamela Kersey, Treasurer

Motion by Romak, supported by Burcroff to approve the agenda as presented.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. 98-149B

2A. Motion by Morris, supported by Burcroff to concur with the recommendation of Mayor Oakley and authorize the Mayor and Clerk to enter into an agreement with McKenna Associates, Inc. along with the City of Taylor and the Township of Huron to provide professional services to Prepare the Metro Airport Ring Road Design Plan and Land Use Regulations in the amount of \$29,210.00.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. Councilwoman Romak excused at 7:12 p.m.

3. No action taken.

4. No action taken.

98-149C

5. Motion by Burcroff, supported by Wadsworth to authorize the Administration to employ a third party strategic planner to develop a long term strategic plan for the City of Romulus.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

6. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Morris to adjourn the special meeting of the Romulus City Council.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Wadsworth. Nays - None. Motion Carried Unanimously. Respectfully submitted,

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk

City of Romulus, Michigan

I, Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the special meeting of the Romulus City Council held April 8, 1998.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk City of Romulus, Michigan from Romulus, Van Buren, Allen Park, Huron Township and MSP patrolled the I-94/I-275 freeways looking for intoxicated drivers. As a result of that detail

four drivers were arrested for driving under the influence of intoxicants according to Executive Lt. Eric Painter of the Romulus Police Department. "This detail resulted in 48

hours of extra patrol time

cers reported a lot of Red Wing flags and stickers flying from the cars, and fortunately most were driving responsibly." There were a total of 100 ve-

along these freeways. Our offi-

hicles stopped for traffic infractions ranging from the OUIL's, speeding violations and other violations. Traffic citations were issued to 77 motorists and another 23 were given verbal warnings.

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A. CITY OF ROMULUS REQUEST TO RECEIVE BIDS BID 98-17

POWER UNIT FOR JAWS

The City of Romulus, Michigan is seeking bids from qualified vendors for the above item.

- (1) Qualified individuals and firms wishing to submit bids must do so on forms provided by the City. Bid forms and specifications may be obtained from Kristian Moe, Purchasing/Computer Services Director, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, MI or by calling (313)
- (2) Bids must be submitted in sealed envelopes and returned to the City Clerk's Office no later than 2:00 p.m., May 19, 1998. At that time said bids will be publicly opened and read,

BID ENVELOPES SHOULD BE MARKED: CITY CLERK

CITY OF ROMULUS, MICHIGAN BID 98-17 POWER UNIT FOR JAWS 11111 WAYNE ROAD ROMULUS, MI 48174-1472

(3) The right is reserved to reject any and all bids and proposals and to waive technicalities. A bid guarantee in the amount of 5% of the total bid price will be required.

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Publish: May 7, 1998

CITY OF ROMULUS

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING ROMULUS CITY COUNCIL **HELD APRIL 13, 1998**

The meeting was called to order at 7:30 p.m. by Mayor Pro Tem

Present: LeRoy D. Burcroff, William A. Crova, Randolph Gear, Donald R. Morris, Michael A. Prybyla, Debbie Romak, William J. Wads-

Absent: None

Excused: None

Administrative Officials in Attendance: William Oakley, Mayor

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byla, Romak, Wadsworth.

Pamela Kersey, Treasurer

Motion by Prybyla, supported Burcroff to approve the agenda as Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes - Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Pry-

Nays - None.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

98-150

2A. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to approve the minutes of the Romulus City Council meeting held April 6, 1998. Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth. Nays-None.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

3A. Motion by Morris, supported by Burcroff to approve the request from Double Bogie, Inc. to drop Frederick A. Coleman as a stockholder in 1997 Class C licensed business with Dance Permit, located at 6221 Middlebelt through transfer of his 5,000 shares to new stockholders, Larry S. Daniel and Janet L. Daniel (2,500 shares each) and issue 2,500 additional shares from the Corporation to existing stockholder, Lance D. Knudson.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.

Nays-None.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

98-152

3B. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to approve the request from V.F.W. Post 9568 located at 39270 Huron River Drive for a No Fee Annual Operating Permit for Hall Rental for the 1998 calendar

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.

Nays-None.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

98-153

3C. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak that we endorse the Regional Summit Conference on May 18, 1998 of regional legislative bodies to which the management of the Detroit newspapers and the collective bargaining units a representatives and their workforces will be invited in a determined effort to bring the lockout to a prompt and just conclusion.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.

Nays-None.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

3D. Motion by Crova, supported by Burcroff to approve the request from the County of Wayne and Northwest Airlines, Inc., co-licenses for a new Class C license to be located at Detroit Metro Airport, Concourse F.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Romak.

Nays-None. Abstain-Prybyla, Wadsworth.

Motion Carried.

4. Motion by Romak, supported by Crova to accept the Chairperson's

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.

Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

98-155

5A. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Crova to concur with the recommendation of the City Attorney and Mayor Oakley and approve the settlement of William H. Coon vs City of Romulus. Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla,

Romak, Wadsworth.

Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

98-156

5B. Motion by Romak, supported by Wadsworth to concur with the recommendation of the Downtown Decorating Committee and accept the proposal from Banner Sign Co. And purchase eighty banners for the Downtown Light Poles in the amount of \$5,455.00.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.

Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

5. Motion by Romak, supported by Wadsworth to accept the Mayor's

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Romak, Wadsworth.

Nays-None. Abstain-Prybyla.

Motion Carried.

98-157

6A1. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Crova to approve the second reading and final adoption of Budget Amendment 97/98-27 introduced at the meeting of April 6, 1998.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.

Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

98-158

11. Motion by Prybyla, supported by Burcroff to approve the payment of Warrant 98-07 in the grand total amount of Six Hundred and Eighty Nine Thousand, Seven Hundred and Ninety Four Dollars and Seventy Three Cents (\$689,794.73).

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.

Nays-None.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

12. Motion by Wadsworth, supported by Romak to adjourn the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council.

Roll Call Vote Showing: Ayes-Burcroff, Crova, Gear, Morris, Prybyla, Romak, Wadsworth.

Nays-None. Motion Carried Unanimously.

> Respectfully submitted, Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk City of Romulus, Michigan

I, Linda, R. Choate, CMC, Clerk for the City of Romulus, Michigan do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the minutes of the regular meeting of the Romulus City Council held April 13, 1998.

Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk City of Romulus, Michigan

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Seniors on the go

Rev. David Strong to retire, then may teach, write, travel

By AL POST MCN Staff Writer

Retiring Belleville First United Methodist Church Pastor David T. Strong vows he will miss the Belleville ministry, when he steps down next

Strong, the church's senior pastor, is leaving the ministry after 39 years. He also has served in five other churches: Dearborn, Richmond, Troy, Livonia and downtown De-

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Many churches find that at Aboard" is now seeking to times they need new beginnings, he said, including new energy and new ideas. "Sometimes a new pastor can be a catalyst for positive changes," Strong added.

He will be succeeded in June by the Rev. John N. Grenfell III, a pastor with a family that includes four children.

To prepare for the change in parsonage family-style the congregation is currently remodeling and enlarging the pastor's home. A fund drive called "Buy a Board, Jump

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raise \$25,000 by June 1 for the remodeling/enlargement parsonage project. Church members and area residents are being urged to donate their "time, talents and tithes."

During Strong's tenure in Belleville, he helped strengthen the Stephen Ministry (a lay-support program aiding those with various types of needs) and initiated a contemporary style second Sunday worship service (at the same hour as Sunday School) to encourage young persons to get involved spiritually.

Strong also initiated the Logos program, a mid-week youth club, that attracted over 40 children and youth.

During his four years in Belleville, Strong also led a spiritual trip to Egypt and a mission team to Costa Rica.

He conducted various classes he called "Quieting the Soul and Healing" and led healing services several times.

Strong praised the residents of Belleville by saying they "are a responsive, caring people and were supportive of my ministry. I will miss them."

Strong now is in the process of moving to Farmington Hills, where he plans to do some teaching and will be involved in photography, hiking, gar-



Pastor David T. Strong

Recreation members appointed

Incumbent Romulus Recreation Commissioner Jerry Kittle was reappointed to a new term on the commission by Mayor William Oakley.

Also added to the commission were former Councilwoman Mary Collins and Margaret Maciejewski.

Collins will replace Angelika Napiorkowski, wife of former city treasurer James Napiorkowski, and Maciejewski will fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of

Ellen Powers named senior of the month

By AL POST MCN Staff Writer

Ellen Powers of Westland who spends hours making lap robes for U.S. veterans - has been named the senior citizen of the month by the the Senior Resources Department in Westland.

Powers was born in Ohio back in 1917 and moved to Westland in 1988. She has raised five children and now has 19 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

She enjoys playing pinochle five days a week, but was honored recently by the Ann Arbor Veterans Medical Center with a gold pin for spending 300 hours making lap robes for veterans being treated at the Veterans Medical Center.

Powers told others she expected to receive nothing for her effort, as she has been "content to know she was helping our veterans know someone cares."

She also received a Silver Star certificate for her unselfish generosity by the Help Hospitalized Veterans Organization and letters of thanks from the Chief of Voluntary Service and the Volunteer Coordinator at the Department of Veterans Affairs at the Ann Arbor VA Medical Center.

Powers has been a member of the Friendship Center since 1989. Her yarn has been donated by the Friendship Center, V.F.W. Post 3323 and some of its members.

The lap robes are turned over to Bessie Bell at the VFW, who in turn transports them to the VA center.

Powers also has been busy making crib blankets for babies in hospitals and doll clothes for underprivileged children. She also many times helps transport Friendship

We are proud to honor her as the senior citizen of the month for May.

> - Sylvia Kozorosky-Wiacek

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center. Sylvia Kozorosky-Wiacek. senior center director, said "we are proud to honor her as the senior citizen of the month

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Local people you know...

By AL POST MCN Staff Writer

A Canton couple, John and LeaAnn Bleser have been named Michigan Foster Parents of the Year.

The Blesers first became foster parents over eight years ago. Since that time they have adopted six of those foster children and are in the process of adopted two more.

Based on their past actions, their licensing worker at the Spectrum Human Services (the agency handling their foster services) nominated them for this year's award.

"John works the night shift and thus is able to help his wife during the day with the responsibilities of shuttling the children to activities, school and other appoint-ments," the nominations stated.

The children range in age from three months to seven years and include a set of twins, who are one year old.

A Special Recognition Ceremony to honor the Blesers will take place May 21 at the Lansing Center in Lansing.

Joseph Doggett recently was honored at a surprise retirement party, following his completion of 30 years of work at the Kelsey Hayes Co. of De-

More than 100 persons attended the festivities held at the Pointe O Woods Club House in Southfield.

Stephen P. White of Canton has been promoted to vice president of Operations and Marketing at the Troy headquarters of the American Speedy Printing Centers Inc.

He will now lead efforts to increase sales within individual franchise units. He also will assum an expanded role in providing sales and marketing programs and support to American Speedy Centers throughout North America.

He and his wife and son reside in Canton.

Ferris State University professional golf management student J. Ben Robertson of Wayne has received a President's Invitational Scholarship for the fall semester of 1997.

Ferris' unique PGM program, which leads to a bachelor's degree in marketing through FSU's College of Business, is sanctioned by the PGA of America, and was the first of only four such programs in the

Romulus girl wins key silver medal

By AL POST MCN Staff Writer

Silver medalist Nicole Penrod and nine other Romulus students in Health Occupations teacher Evelyn Hopewell's classes recently competed in a four day conference in Traverse City conducted by the Health Occupation Students of Amer-

Competing in the Administrative Medical Assisting field, Nicole took a written test about the ethics, history, procedures, safety and cleanliness factors in her field.

She also needed to answer phones, take a prescription refill message, make appointments and demonstrate excellent office procedures.

Hopewell said Nicole is "every teacher's dream to have as a student. She is hard working, easy to motivate and a delight to have in class."

Nicole revealed she was more nervous going on stage to accept her award than when she was actually taking part in the competition.



Romulus High School senior Nicole Penrod proudly shares a view of her silver medal award certification with her Health Occupations teacher Evelyn Hopewell. MCN Special Photo









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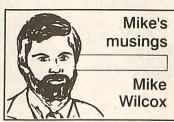
We were saddened to hear that young Cymonne Pyles, the Romulus girl who was suddenly struck with a brain tumor, had passed away. Cymonne's affliction, although well chronicled, did not turn out the way Romulus residents had hoped when they raised thousands of dollars for her medical bills.

We had somehow, hoped that Cymonne would follow in the footsteps of Belleville's Stephanie Smith, who has made great strides in battling her once unknown sickness, and now is attending public school. Stephanie received hundreds of thousands of dollars for her community that paid for experimental medical treatment that so far has held her affliction in

Now a third youngster, a 10-year-old Romulus Barth Elementary School student, Bradley Bills, has been diagnosed with a debilitating disease that usually kills its victims by the age 20. Bradley has ataxia telangiectasia, simply known as A-T.

A-T was essentially discovered a couple of year's ago when successful businessman Brad Margus learned that two of his children had the disease. From Florida he established the A-T Children's Project, and is devoting most of his time and effort to raising money to find a cure for the horrible disease. His effort's have been the subject of several magazine articles.

Bradley has had the disease for two years. Although he has not fallen victim to pneumonia that often weakens young A-T patients, his parents Bob and Denise have noticed some effects from the disease concerned that worse days are ahead. Eventually A-T will destroy its victim's muscle control and immune system and

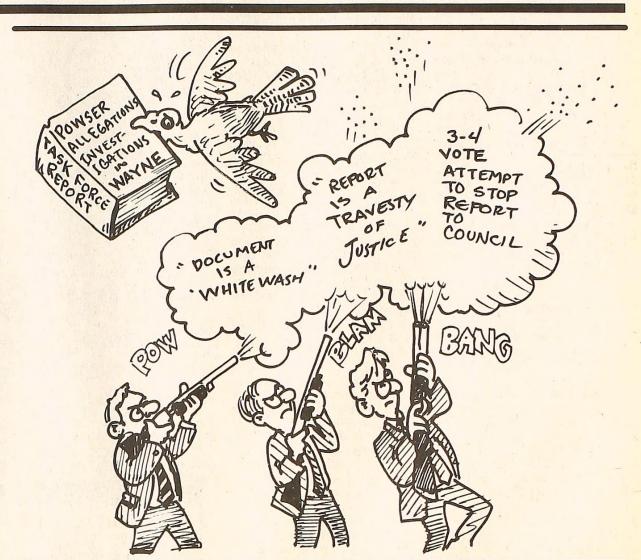


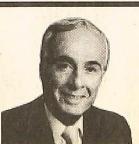
often creates cancerous conditions.

In an effort to raise money for Bradley and his disease's cure. Romulus citizens are promoting a two mile walk. Walkers and other donors are being asked to donate \$15 toward the A-T Children's Project. We are told over 100 walkers have already signed up for the May 30th walk that is supported by the Mayor, Police Chief and Fire Chief.

Also joining in with a hefty contribution is Dennis Swaney, owner of Romulus IGA. After the walk a free luncheon is planned. Swaney is picking up the entire cost of the lunch, which ultimately could feed upwards to 500 people. Quite a gesture on Swaney's part. But, he would describe it as the least he could do for the Bills family ..." long and faithful customers

We urge everyone to join in to make this worthy effort a huge success. Registration for the walk will take place at 9 a.m. at Wick School. The walk will begin at 10 a.m., and will end where it started, Wick School. For those that can't make the walk, feel free to send a check or card to the Bills Family, 38630 Westvale, Romulus, MI 48174.





Millionaire Percy Ross is known for his philanthropic work. He offers help and encouragement for those in need. He has earned a fortune and a wealth of knowledge during his lifetime and wants to share both. His motto: "He who gives while he lives ... also knows where it goes."

Redefining Who Are the Players of Table Tennis

Dear Mr. Ross: Since my husband and I were married 5 years ago, we've run into plenty of financial hardships. Through heavy labor and the grace of God, we've managed so far. My husband does a lot of manual, heavy lifting work. He's never had any problems with it. As a matter of fact, he's always had a sense of pride in what he does, but just recently he's been experiencing pain in his lower private area. We found out the cause is a herniated testicle and we can't afford to pay for medical expenses and the costly surgery it requires. We have two very small children that make the situation even more stressful. The sum of \$200 would be so helpful to us right now. It would at least enable us to get started on medical treatment and get my husband on the road to recovery, and back to

Mrs. S. T. ... Macomb Daily, Royal Oak, MI

Dear Mrs. T.: A herniated testicle is a painful, serious trauma. I understand that years ago if a testicle couldn't be saved, a ping pong ball was surgically implanted as a prosthesis. Although this made certain individuals cringe at the thought of table tennis, we can be thankful for the advances made in medicine. With a sense of urgency, I'm sending \$200 to begin treatment immediately. Any hard working husband and father deserves as

— **L**i —

Dear Mr. Ross: I listen to your radio program every morning at 7:10 over KLQP in Madison. I also read your column every week in the Valley Shopper. Needless to say, I've been a great admirer of yours for years. As a result, last November there was an ad in your column about a lonesome widower that lives in Grover County.

To make a long story short, I wrote to him and we have been corresponding by letter ever since, 2 to 3 times a week. See, I'm a 73 year old widow. We would like to meet in person but we are both on Social Security, so we have to watch our spending. A plane ticket to Denver from Minneapolis is \$86 one way, but we thought I should have a round trip ticket, in case when we meet things didn't gel between us. Could you help with the return ticket? I know there are people who need your help more, but it would be nice if 2 lonely people could get together.

Mrs. H. S. ... Valley Shopper, Milbank, SD

Dear Mrs. S.: Provided you don't feel the need for a chaperone, I do believe we can arrange a face to face meeting. I'm sending you \$300 to cover round trip airfare and a romantic dinner out on the town. The rest, shall we say, is the story which may not be fit for print. May your chance encounter be lasting and meaningful for both of you.



Dear Mr. Ross: I read your column weekly and I figure you must do a lot of travel. Allow me to pose this question: Why don't people tip their maid? People tip the waitress, newspaper boy and bartender, but not the maid. I have done this work for about 10 years. Tips are rare and wages are minimum. We clean your toilet, make the bed, empty the garbage, clean up the vomit, and other things which aren't suitable to mention. would appreciate your response if possible.

Ms. P. O. ... Eagle Herald, Marinette, WI

Dear Ms. O.: Curious how your initials signify your feelings, Patti. Yes, I tip my maids and I tip them handsomely, and not just because I'm a millionaire. I figure anyone who can afford to pay for lodging, be it a hotel, motel or whatever, can surely afford a few bucks for the added effort a maid must expend to clean the room. It's a job with few rewards and tips should be one of them.

Editor's note: Check your local radio station for Percy Ross' call of the day and visit his web site at www.thanksamillion.com —

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delivers to minority voters made for and Brownie points must be given to Westland Mayor

Bob 'The Mailman' Thomas

Bob Thomas for keeping two promises.

During last year's campaign, he promised minority residents living on the city's southeast side a new city holiday, Martin Luther King Day, and a mini-police station in their neighborhood.

In February, he delivered on King Day. Monday

night, with informal city council approval, he delivered on the police station, throwing in a mini-fire station for good measure.

I write about this because it's so rare when a politician delivers that you never hear of a politician

nicknamed "The Mailman," like Utah Jazz forward Karl Malone. Politicians tend to be operators, like former

Philadelphia 76s' forward Julius Erving, known as "Doctor J" because he was always operating. That's one of the reasons why I favor city man-

agers over strong mayors. Both administrate, but in theory city managers don't mix politics and administration, where as mayors inevitably do.

In either case you can have bad policy, which is political, but because city managers are nonpolitical professionals, they are able to administer bad polices cheaper than mayors, who reward supporters and financial contributors with administrative jobs. Needless to say, contributing to a mayor's campaign doesn't make a man or woman qualified to run a city department or manage employees.

That's why the members of the Conference of Western Wayne don't allow Thomas, who is chairman, to administrate regional programs. The conference members, local mayors and supervisors, know better than to allow a politician to administer government business.

Thomas is limited to leading policy discussions and conducting political business, something he was

does well in Westland.

The kept promises to the southeast minorities are good examples.

In contrast, a few other political figures have let down people they have made promises to. One offender who disappointed me is Bob Thorne, leader

of the last two construction bond amendments in Van During the previous construction bond election, Thorne had promised to work with his opponents to

Ivan

Helfman

economize operational spending on bussing, maintenance, and employee health care. Since I judge politicians' promises by their actions, I waited for Thorne to come through. The election ended and it was put up or shut up time. Unfortunately, Thorne neither put up not shut up.

When I called him he was as full of excuses as he was devoid of promised action. One excuse was that there were no savings to be had because his opponents had exaggerated by claiming that money could be saved by farming out bus driving to Laidlaw, a private company. Recently Laidlaw submitted a bid and the savings were almost double the projections.

Instead of being a thorn in voters' sides, Thorne can regain credibility in the Van Buren-area by fighting to persuade the district to reap this \$500-600,000 savings and apply it to hiring master teachers, just like Thomas gained a lot of credibility on Westland's southeast side by delivering on his promises like "The Mailman."

It's important that we judge politicians on their actions, not their words.

Tereasa Robbins aims at balanced

budget without selling property

To the editor:

On June 8, 1998, citizens of the Wayne-Westland School District will have their opportunity to make a difference by voting for Teresa Robbins for school board member. She has proven herself a leader for her role in obtaining a DNR grant from the state to save Sassafras Trail. Teresa has no hidden or personal agenda and is willing to listen to her constituents. She will not use the School Board for self-promotion or as a stepping-stone to higher office. Her goals are to develop and maintain a balanced budget without selling school property, eliminating jobs, classes or bussing and provide quality education. Teresa Robbins accomplishments, credentials, and background qualifies her as the person who will make a difference and improve our children's education and future.

Jo and Ernie Johnson

Judge welcomes public to YMCA Recognition Dinner

To the editor:

Thank you for the wonderful front page article on the YMCA Recognition Dinner set for May 8 at the Hellenic Center on Joy Rd., west of Wayne Rd., starting at 6:30

I would ask that you put another notice in so that the public knows that tickets are still available through the YMCA by calling Pauline King at 721-7044. The tickets are \$30 each.

The dinner serves as a celebration of community pride, as the YMCA gives public thanks to the hundreds of hours given by our two honorees Ed Turner and Carol Oliphant to so many community causes. The Wayne-Westland communities have benefited by their volunteer services.

In addition, the YMCA will continue a tradition of recognizing the value of strong teachers. Working with the Wayne-Westland Schools, the YMCA will give public thanks for good work of Tom Buckalew of John Glenn, of Jane McLaughlin of Walker-Winter Elementary, of Alice Patterson of Edison and Patchin Elementary Schools, and of Carolyn Washington of Marshall Middle School. Each of the teachers will receive plaques and special recognition for the extraordinary work they have done for the children of this community.

Letters · Letter

Gail McKnight

Is life made too easy for present generation of poor students?

To the editor:

It wasn't too surprising to read that the U.S. is very low in rank of school testing, in the world.

There are too many diversions allowed at home. The T.V. is blasting away, there is the VCR and the video games available. Who buys all this stuff? And the parents are often not home to supervise homework. Then, to be honest, the children may not see any reason to get high marks. Too many college graduates are not getting the high wage jobs they expected. Everyone is not going to be an ex-

Menial jobs are readily available, but many young people are

turning up their noses at the low See **LETTERS**, page A-7



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Menial jobs are readily available, but many young people are turning up their noses at the low wages. At many drug stores, we cannot get enough

What are they doing, I don't know, but they won't work for menial wages, even if they didn't go to college.

Is life made too easy for them by their parents? Are we giving them too much too soon? And they take it all for

Spring break to Florida from the universities is a prime example. Who is paying for all this fun, by the way?

Mrs. Ralph Arendt Canton

Open your minds to Hospice and home care

To the editor:

Americans continue to be obsessed with death, but unfortunately, not with dying. The recent study on physicianassisted suicide published in the New England Journal of Medicine (April 23, 1998) joins a growing volume of literature delving into this thoughtprovoking topic. The interest in this issue is understandable, as it involves very personal moral and ethical questions. Assisted suicide seems to pervade our thoughts about dying as we read about the latest news involving Dr. Kevorkian, we speculate about the circumstances surrounding Linda McCartney's death, and follow the legal debate stemming from the Supreme Court decision on assisted suicide as it becomes an issue for Michigan's legislature.

But this latest study, a survey of practicing physicians, shows that even if physicianassisted suicide was legal, most doctors would not engage in the practice. Similarly, a 1996 Gallup survey, commissioned by the National Hospice Organization, found that most patients would not ask their doctor to help them die. In fact, that survey found most patients would prefer to die at home, surrounded by family and loved ones, with a comprehensive program of care with all the components hospice

Hospice care, which has been a part of the fabric of our society and healthcare system for more than 20 years, aggressively addresses these fears. Most often in the patient's home, hospice utilizes the skills of physicians and nurses providing pain and symptom management, social workers and spiritual caregivers offer counseling - an entire team of-fering family support with the help of wonderful volunteers who donate their time for hos-

pice. Rather than insisting on a solution such as assisted suicide, why not open our minds and learn more about hospice

Maureen Butrico, BSN, MSA Community Hospice & Home Care Services, Inc. Westland

Small business blames eviction on landlord's alleged greed

To the editor:

Could it be a tragic decision for some small businesses?

The decision, made by Shurgard Storage Center on Joy Rd. in Canton, to take one of their buildings, which includes seven small businesses, evict them within three months time and reconstruct the building into temperature controlled

storage units. Why? To make more money? A decision that could put some small businesses out of business. Businesses like, American Power wash, Inc. In business since 1992 and located in the Shurgard building since 1994, American Power Wash relies heavily on the main road exposure and the walk in business it receives from the location. It will be extremely difficult to find an adequate space within the Canton community that is not too expensive for the small

business budget. Shurgard apparently has been working on this ever since they purchased the building, some six years ago. It would have been considerate to at least give the tenants adequate time to find a new location to continue business as usual, not three short months.

Is this the malicious business practice that makes big business better or just bigger? To turn a lively strip mall into a faceless building on a fivelane highway, just to make an extra buck?

A lot of time and money had to be spent by American Power Wash to make their rental unit adequate enough to be a customer friendly business. That money would have been spent at another location if they knew of Shargards' plans to step on the little person all to make a bigger bottom

Julie Cupchack

Building needs remain for Van Buren's schools

To the Editor:

The Community Committee For Continued Educational Excellence (C3E2) is once again working very hard to provide correct and documentable information to the public as to the need for a Sinking Fund Millage in the Van Buren School District. Someone recently asked, "Why is C3E2 doing this again?" The answer is very clear and very simple. The critical building needs in our school district still remain.

The February millage election lost by only two votes -indicating a real desire in our community to begin the work necessary to bring our school district buildings up to acceptable standards. And as is the democratic process, the same rules that allow the majority to win an election by only two

votes, allow the minority to request another election.

Again, the critical building needs in our school district still remain. Many of our community's children still attend schools that need replacement, our high school band still practices in a room that is totally inadequate, (and even presents a serious threat to the hearing of our students and band director), and some of our elementary students are denied access to adequate library and media facilities. While the rhetoric continues, our community's children continue to pay an unacceptable

Toni L. Hunt

The Community Committee For Continued Educational

Debra Fowlkes adds diversity to Wayne-Westland school board

To the editor:

Fellow voters of the Wayne-Westland School District, I appeal to you to participate in the upcoming Wayne-Westland election on June 8th, 1998 from 7 AM to 8 PM.

Up for election is the School Board seat occupied by Debra Fowlkes, the President of the School Board. I have observed Mrs. Fowlkes professionalism as she orchestrated the School Board as President over the past year on cable TV and as Vice President the previous

As I am only a two-year resident in the Wayne-Westland School District, it has been my pleasure to have Debra Fowlkes on our School Board. She has shown poise, class and dignity while addressing ALL members of the community with respect.

In our diversified multicultural community, Debra Fowlkes has shown she is a person of integrity and a pillar of strength. Debra Fowlkes as the only Afro American sitting on our otherwise all Caucasian School Board adds a degree of ethnic balance to the leadership of this community. The other two (2) candidates running against incumbent Debra Fowlkes are also Caucasians, which is all the more reason that the interests of the community as a whole would be best served if we re-elect Mrs.

Fowlkes. I wish to thank you Debra Fowlkes and hope you are successful in your bid for reelection.

Please support Debra

Fowlkes in her bid for reelection. Debra Fowlkes is a fine example of what we preach and teach to our children!

Bobby Teague, Westland

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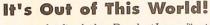


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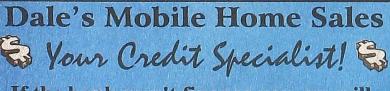
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Fordson foils Romulus resurgence

Foley: We get another shot at them

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

Romulus baseball coach Don Foley apparently may have to put his title plans "on hold" for at least a couple of

Fordson and senior hurler Jose Pejuan made sure of that. Pejuan scattered five hits, struck out 10 and issued two walks as the Tractors rolled past Romulus 9-4 in a key Gold Division baseball match up between two title hopefuls.

By removing Romulus from the path, Fordson appears to have a clear road to their firstever Mega Conference baseball title.

Or do they?

"I don't think so," said Foley. "We have another shot at them later this month when they come to our place. How-

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Don Foley

ever, we can't be losing to any teams in our division if we hope to get a share of the title."

The rematch between the two Gold Division leaders is scheduled for May 18.

In the meantime, thanks to Pejuan and a five-run bottomof-the-second surge, Fordson maintained its perfect (5-0) re-

cord in the division. The Tractors marred Jeff Brasili's pitching record, routing the Romulus starter in the fifth inning.

Seven of the nine Fordson runs moreover were earned.

The loss left the Eagles a game out of first, with a 4-1 record. They should not have any

problems improving their record in the division this week as they face the bottom of the standings.

Romulus met an ailing Inkster (Monday), a could-betroublesome Robichaud (Wednesday) and Highland Park (Friday), a team they slaughtered in their first encounter.

On Saturday, the Eagles fly to Thurston where they are scheduled to play a doubleheader.

"We do have a busy week before us," Foley stressed. "It will give us an opportunity to get ready for the rematch."

Against Fordson, Brasili gave the Eagles a 2-0 lead in the top of the second when he hammered a Pejuan fast-ball for his first homer of the season. Steve Justice, who got aboard on a single, raced home with Brasili's HR.

The Eagles then cut the Fordson lead to 7-4 in their fifth as Travis Hadyniak singled home Brasili and James Monat, their final runs of the game.

Earlier in the week, Romulus routed River Rouge 11-1

See FORDSON, page B-2

Defense collapses

Trenton whips Wayne, 9-2

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

If you don't make the plays, you don't win the games.

The credo is one of coach Jim Chronowski's many, stored away during some 30 years of coaching at Wayne Memorial.

The Zebras definitely didn't make the plays against Trenton last week.

In fact, they committed atypical seven errors in a 9-2 loss to their Mega Conference, White Division opponents which left Chronowski searching for words to describe the defense-

"We knew going into the season that the defense was a big question mark - and unfortunately it has been," said Chronowski. "Seven errors in one game? We have had teams here that didn't commit that many in an entire season."

We knew going into the season that the defense was a big question mark...

- Jim Chronowski

Charlie Leverenz may want to talk to an attorney to see whether he should sue his teammates for nonsupport. The senior Wayne hurler was charged with the 9-2 loss but, for the record, all nine of Trenton's runs were unearned.

Leverenz notched nine strikeouts and walked five.

Trenton hurler Brian Wilson was tough on the Zebras as he fired a two- hitter. Wilson, who pitched four innings of scoreless and hitless ball, gave up a double to Jon Bates and a single to Matt

Mackiewicz in the fifth that led to Wayne's first run.

The loss dropped Wayne's overall record to 4-7 on the

Wayne did manage a split in a week where rains washed out two games. Thanks to C. J. Blevins' seven-hitter, the Zebras edged Edsel Ford 4-3 to improve their Mega Conference White Division record to 2-3 as the week began.

Blevins posted a personal strikeout best as he fanned 13 T-Birds for his third (in four starts) victory. He did not issue a walk.

Derrick Townsend's single in the bottom of the seventh produced the winning run. Townsend singled home Scotty Teasdale who had walked, moved to second via a passed ball. Then, after the T-Birds

See WAYNE, page B-2



Rockets' Chandler leaps to

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

Behind LaToya Chandler's record-shattering performance in the high jump, Westland John Glenn on Thursday crushed North Farmington 89-44 to even its Western Lakes Conference girls' track record at .500 on the season.

Coach John Kitchen and the Rockets began the week with a 3-3 mark, after posting a relatively easy win over NF.

Chandler, a sophomore who owned the previous best in the event, successfully cleared 5 feet, 7 to set a new standard for the school in high jumping competition.

"She has been pretty consistent all year," noted Kitchen, who is in his 12th year as head coach. "She is one of those rare talents who went to the state as a freshman."

Chandler held the previous

Glenn junior Nicolette Jarrett (top photo) leaps to a victory in the long jump and also helped the Rockets with wins in the 400-meter dash

and a relay against North Farmington last Thursday. In the bottom photo, Felicia Barnett prepares to pass the baton to LaTasha Chandler. The Rockets hope to improve their 3-3 record today when they visit Walled Lake Central in a Lakes Division dual meet. MCN Photos by Carolyn Shough

record at 5 feet, 6, established a week earlier at the Dicks Walters Invitational hosted by Monroe High School.

The Rockets swept 12 of the 17 events against North Farmington. They got a double from junior Nicolette Jarrett, who won the long jump and 400meter dash competitions before joining the trio of Nicole Herring, Kinia Adams and

Chandler to bring home the 800-meter relay victory.

Jarrett leaped 15 feet, 2 for her win in the long jump, then posted a 64.2 in winning the 400 before teaming up with the trio for a 1:52.6 in the relay.

Herring continued her mastery of the hurdles. He cleared the 100-meter obstacles in 16.3,

See RECORD, page B-2

Northville crushes Glenn his two hits for the game.

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

Exploding for an incredible eight runs in the opening inning, Northville crushed Westland John Glenn 12-5 in a Western Lakes Conference baseball game that sent Rocket coach Todd Duffield back to the blackboard seeking answers to his team's prob-

"You can't win ball games when you commit the number of errors we did and when you're leaving men stranded, as we did against Stevenson," said Duffield, whose Rockets began the week with a 3-2 conference record. "Just when I feel we have overcome our problems, they seem to reap-

Glenn outhit Livonia Stevenson 13-5, but stranded a dozen runners on the base paths in digesting a 7-5 loss, also in last week's action.

But it was the Northville game that shook the Rockets. "There hasn't been too

have overcome our problems, they seem to reappear.

Just when I feel we

- Todd Duffield

many ball clubs who have scored that many runs in one inning against us," Duffield explained.

The Northville barrage routed Glenn starter Mike Swafford from the mound. Swafford faced only five Colts, gave up five runs in the first frame before Duffield decided to call in his first of four re-

Ironically, it appeared as if Glenn would be the aggressor. The Rockets scored twice in their first thanks to Tim Reeves, who accounted for a run-batted-in single for one of

Stevenson built up a 5-0 lead before the Westlanders came back and scored three times in their fourth and added a pair in the sixth. But it a case that the adage "too little, too late" appropriately explained the Glenn dilemma.

Glenn starter Josh Utley. who pitched the first 2 2/3 innings, was charged with the loss. He gave up five of the seven runs.

Gordie Smith collected three hits (for three) of Glenn's 13 hits. He also drove in one run, while teammates Nick Hudson and Justin Fendelet each chipped in with two hits.

Weather permitting, the Westlanders have three crucial games this week. They were scheduled to play Monday (weather didn't look to promising) at Walled Lake Western, then, on Wednesday, Farmington Harrison was due in Westland, while on Thursday, Plymouth Salem will attempt to avenge their firstround loss to the Rockets.

'It was a lot of fun' Plymouth-Canton's Khoenle to retire

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

Saying his 35 year tour in coaching has been a lot of fun, veteran Plymouth-Canton High School varsity football coach Bob Khoenle this week announced his retirement.

He will continue to teach at the high school, Khoenle added.

"Coaching has been a lot of fun. Though frustrating at times, nonetheless I have loved it - I have worked with a lot of excellent people and talented youngsters," said Khoenle on Sunday during a telephone interview, "but it's time. It's time to step

Knoenle has guided the Chiefs as the head coach for the past 12 years in one of the toughest high school football conferences (the Western Lakes) in the state. He has surfaced with an outstanding record, considering that his teams have clashed with the likes of perennial state champ, Farmington Hills Harrison, Westland John Glenn, Walled Lake Central and North-

School officials on Monday said they have posted the position and have invited eligible coaches to submit resumes. The usual format is to choose a candidate within the school system. If one is not found, then the school district may invite candidates from out-

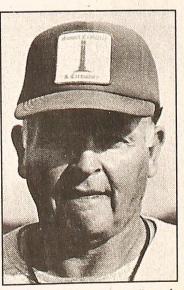
side the district. "We don't have anyone in mind (as a replacement), but the job was posted as of today," the official said.

In a press release made available to the media on Friday, school officials listed Khoenle's achievements during his tenure as head coach. They noted that Khoenle is one of the most successful coaches in the high school's history.

Prior ot accepting the head coaching position 12 years ago, Khoenle was an assistant to Rich Barr.

"Mr. Khoenle retires as the most successful coach in Canton's football history," school officials stated. "He compiled a career record of 51 wins and 50 losses."

Khoenle led the Chiefs to their most successful seasons in 1989 and 1990 when



Bob Khoenle

the teams made the Class A regional playoffs. His accomplishment did not go unnoticed by his colleagues who selected the Canton mentor as the Regional Football Coach of the Year. He was also named at the time by

See KHOENLE, page B-2

Lack of depth puts champs in a hole

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

Depth - the lack of it - has dug a deep hole for Robichaud, the defending Class B state track & field champs

And the champs are having problems winning dual meets this season, something they have not had any concerns about in the past.

"We began the season with 20 and attrition has now claimed about half of that number," said veteran Robichaud track coach Francis McCauley. "We will have difficulty winning dual meets, despite the fact that we may have the frontrunners in many of the events.'

McCauley stressed that he has reassessed the team's goal and he and his staff "are working so that individuals can better their times and performances rather than seeing how many meets we can win this year.

"We definitely have some athletes who will leave their impressions on the conference and state meets.'

Robichaud began the week with an 0-4 record. The Bulldogs were scheduled to run Red Division, Mega opponent Wyandotte on Tuesday, then travel to Monroe on Thursday.

In the meantime, Robichaud finished fourth on Satur-day in an "All- City" meet which included teams representing Dearborn, Fordson, Edsel Ford, Divine Child and Crestwood.

At the city meet, the Bulldogs received gold-medal winning performances from Andrea McGrew and Althea

Graham.

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Wayne

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decided to intentionally walk Leverenz the two base runners advanced on the second passed ball of the inning.

Townsend then delivered the game-winning base hit.

Wayne managed to cash in two-out singles from Mackiewicz and Leverenz and Bates's double for two runs in the second. After the T-birds got one of those back in the top of the fourth, Wayne came back and took a 3-1 lead in the fifth as Teasdale singled, but was tossed out for the first time this year on an attempted steal. He had successfully stolen on seven previous occa-

Then, Mackiewicz was struck by a wild pitch and moved to second on Leverenz's base hit. After both runners moved up on a wild pitch, Mackiewicz scored on a passed ball.

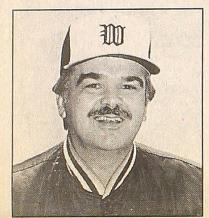
Four hits in the top of the sixth accounted for Edsel's two runs that tied the game at

Wayne has a busy week against White Division opponents.

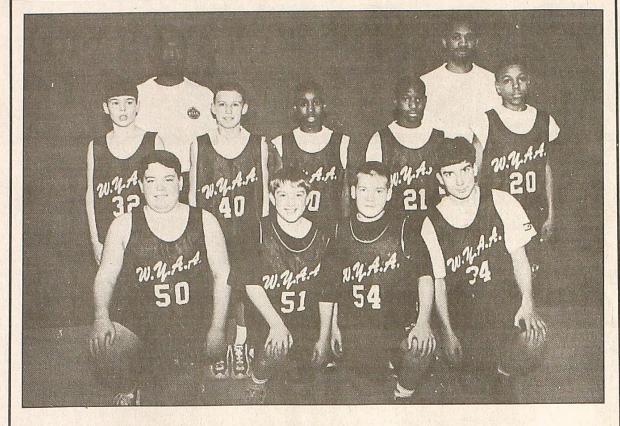
On Monday, the Zebras traveled to Redford Union, then had a makeup game with Ypsilanti before taking on Ken-nedy in Taylor on Thursday.

On Friday, Chronowski and the Zebras face a tough Allen Park club at the downriver high school's diamond.

"This week could tell us a lot about how we stand in this division," said the Wayne coach.



Jim Chronowski



Junior hoop champs

Compiling a near-perfect record, the Knicks completed a storybook season in the Westland Youth Athletic Association Junior Basketball circuit to win the WYAA championship. Members of the championship team are Ryan Silsbee (front row, from left), Aaron Leveske, Adam Kirks and Ryan Edwards; second row are Daniel Savielle, Mark Rodriquez, Jr., Ramon Kinloch, Allen Barker and DeAnthony Granberry; third row are coaches Mike Kinloch and Monte Davis. Not available at the time of the photo are team members coach Rockey Black and William Jones. MCN special photo

Record

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the challenged the gruelling 300 in an excellent 50.6.

Glenn freshman Sharon Ryan proved to be the best distance-runner at the meet. Ryan toured the 1,600-meters in the winning time of 6:08.3, then led the pack in the 3,200meters, showing up at the finish after a 13:32.4 run.

Glenn swept the relay events: In the 400-meter, Kitchen put together a team made up of Adams, Herring, and sisters LaTasha and LaToya Chandler who carded a 52.9 for the victory. In the 800-meter, Adams,

Herring, Chandler and Jarrett pulled their resources to win in 1:52.6 and in the 1,600-meter relay, the winning foursome included DeAnna McCargo, Adams, Latoya Lum and

at Massillon, Ohio where he

earned All-State honors in

football, basketball and

Khoenle Purdue University where he played football on an athletic scholarship four years. Continued from page B-1 Khoenle also was an outthe Associated Newspapers' standing high school athlete

baseball.

papers as Coach of the Year. Khoenle is a graduate of

(the predecessor of the

Michigan Community News-

Kristin Fisher, who posted a 4:31.2 in winning the event.

Adams (12.9) and Selicia (27.9) split the 100 and 220meter dash events.

The Rockets will focus in on one of the better teams in the Western Lakes when they travel today to Walled Lake Central.

Champs

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McGrew captured a pair of firsts in her specialty - the hurdles. She had the winning time of 15.7 for the 100-meter hurdles, and she also was first in the 300-meter hurdles (47.6).

Graham made it first across the finish line in the 200-meter dash. Her time was an impressive 26 seconds.

Southgate Anderson gives Romulus scare

By TOM MOORADIAN MCN Staff Writer

It was easy. Too easy.

When Romulus' 1,600-meter relay lapped its counterpart from Southgate Anderson, Romulus coach Norb Glover may have thought it was a day in which he could relax and enjoy a rare sunlit Spring after-

But, then, Anderson showed that playing possum can be dangerous to the prey.

Anderson suddenly came alive, and made a run and meet of it it.

Anderson gave the undefeated Mega Conference Blue Division leader a scare before they fell short, 76-81, as Glover's Eagles picked up their second straight divisional victory.

"I made some changes that I usually would not have when we started off with that easy victory," noted Glover. "They almost pulled this one out. I'm going to be extra cautious from now on, believe me."

Romulus dominated the relays, winning the 3,200-meters with Tony Christian, Ashley Terry, Kevin Thomas and Calb Beasley (8:42). They put the 1,600-meter away with the foursome of Christian, Terry, Beasley and Kevin Thomas (3:38.0).

With a lineup made up of Fred Russell, Carleton Mc-Cauley, Brandon DeYampert and Randy Freison, the Eagles

They almost pulled this one out. I'm going to be extra cautious from now on, believe me.

- Norm Glover

won the 400-meter relay in 44.6. The same foursome placed first in the 800-meters in 1:33.07

Romulus placed first and third in the 100-meter dash with Freddie Russell again winning the event in 11.4. Teammate John Wester was third (11.91).

Tony Christian led the 800meter field as he covered the distance in 2:06, while Owen Roper had a put of 41 feet, 2 to capture the shot put event. Ray Graves led an Eagle sweep of the high jump competition. He stopped at 5 feet, 10 while De-Yampert, the All-State hoopster, cleared 21 feet, 6 inches in his first appearances in the long jump.

McCauley's 15.82 was the best time for the 110-meter hurdles.

Glover and the Eagles will travel to Adrian on Saturday to compete in the Tony Clark Invitational. To tune up for that meet, the Eagles have a welltuned Allen Park to contend with. They clashed with Lincoln Park on Tuesday.

Fordson

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as Jeremy Stevens tossed a one-hitter and helped his cause with a solo homer.

Stevens missed putting away a coveted no-hitter in the fourth when he gave up his only hit, a solo clout to Mike

Foley and the Eagles man-

aged to escape with a 9-8 extra innings victory over Dearborn Heights Crestwood, which blew a four-run lead in the bottom of the seventh. A two-run single by Stevens and Derek Plave's sacrifice fly opened the gates to the four runs.

Romulus got the gamewinning run thanks to a basesloaded balk by the Crestwood pitcher.

Stevens accounted for five RBIs to go along with his two hits against the Chargers.





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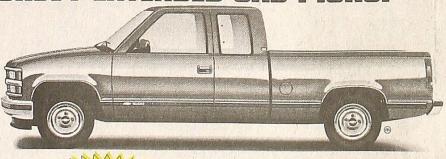
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Wassiea, a student at Robichaud High School, Dearborn Heights, will report to Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C., for basic training July 1.

He is the son of Muhammah A. and stepson of Michael Banks of Inkster.

Army Capt. Michael S. Matt has arrived for duty at the U.S. Army Recruiting Station, Fair

Matt, a recruiter, is the son of James A. Matt of Fountain, Colo., and Angela A. Matt of Romulus.

He graduated in 1980 from Doherty High School, Colorado Springs, Colo., and received a bachelor's degree in 1991 from Georgia Southern University, Statesboro.

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class Brian M. Paul, a 1995 graduate of Plymouth-Canton High School, recently received the Battle Efficiency Award (Battle "E") while serving aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Bunker Hill, based in

Yokosuka, Japan. He joined the Navy in September 1995.

Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class Michael A. Malloy, son of Carol and Bessie Malloy of Inkster, recently received the Battle Efficiency Award (Battle "E") while serving aboard the guided missile cruiser USS Bunker Hill, based in Yokosuka, Japan. The 1986 graduate of Wayne Memorial High School, joined the Navy in June 1988.

Marine Sgt. William B. Richardson, a 1993 graduate of Plymouth Canton High School, recently received the Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal.

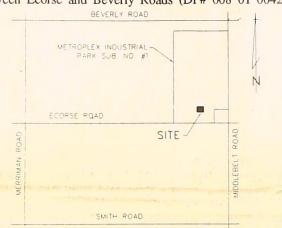
He joined the Marine Corps in January 1994.

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Please be advised, that the City of Romulus Planning Commission has scheduled a Public Hearing to be held Monday, May 18, 1998 at 7:30 p.m. Prevailing Eastern Time in the Romulus City Hall Council Chambers, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485. The purpose of the meeting is to consider PC-024-05-98, a request for special land use approval for an air freight forwarding facility in an M-1 (Light Industrial) zonded district. The subject property is located on the east side of Metroplex Drive, lots 42 & 43 Metroplex Industrial Park between Ecorse and Beverly Roads (DP# 008 01 0042 300).



All interested citizens are encouraged to attend and will be given an opportunity to comment on said request. Written comments may be submitted until 12:00 noon, Monday, May 18, 1998 and should be addressed to Bradley Raymond, Assistant Building Director, Safety and Engineering Department, 11111 Wayne Road, Romulus, Michigan 48174-1485.

> Linda R. Choate, CMC, Clerk City of Romulus, Michigan

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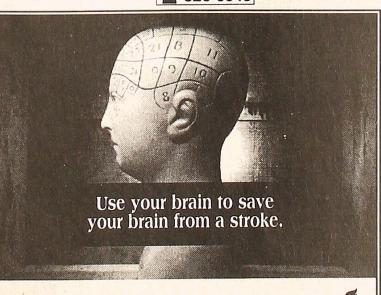
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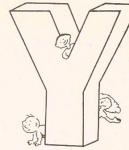
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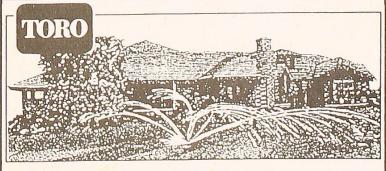


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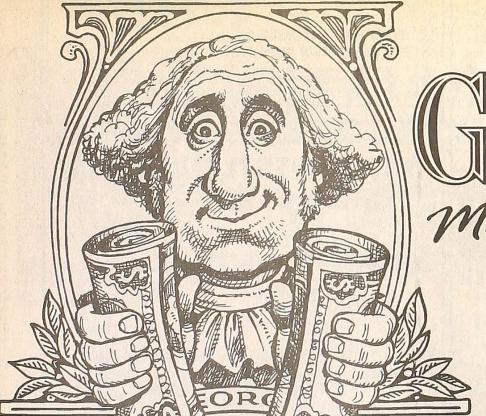
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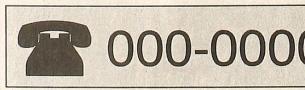


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News from area churches

Prayer sessions are planned today

By AL POST

MCN Staff Writer

Christians, Jews and other prayer activists throughout the Western Wayne County area will be joining their counterparts at noon today in a National Day of Prayer effort to enhance the life styles of all levels of elected leaders, families, churches and schools.

Four of the announced prayer efforts will be held in Belleville, Wayne, Inkster and Romulus at noon. Other groups will be having "Round the Flag Pole" prayer sessions outside their schools or places of business.

In Belleville a group will gather at their fifth annual session at the Belleville Victory Station at Five Points to offer prayers for elected leaders nationally, statewide, countywide and locally.

One of the organizers, Ruth E. Bleeker, stated "16 key people make daily decisons which affect the course of this nation and your freedom. Their decisions either acknowledge God's authority or force us to disregard His laws.

"These 16 key people include the President, the two senators from Michigan, your Congressperson, Michigan's Governor, state senator, state representative and the nine Supreme Court justices," Bleeker continued.

"We have an obligation under God to intercede for these people," she added, "just think of the supernatural power of God that could be unleashed from the heavens if everyone in America prayed daily for these 16 persons by name."

Similar services will be conducted at noon at the Booker Dozier Recreation Center on Middlebelt road in Inkster, in the sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church of Wayne and at the Veterans Memorial Plaza outside the Romulus City Hall on Wayne road in Romulus. The Romulus prayer service will be moved inside City Hall in case of rain.

The Inkster service will be lead by the Rev. Sue Walls of Christ United Methodist Church, Savannah Johnson of the Pentecostal Temple and Carol Schoeneheit, observance organizer.

Wayne area residents and workers are urged to stop by the First U.M. Church's sanctuary from noon to 1 p.m. to pray for the U.S.

The Rev. Ron Vanderbeek said the hour long session will be inside the Methodist Church located at 3739 Newberry, (near the Wayne Post Office). Various pastors will offer vocal prayers, he said, and other times will be reserved for silent prayer. Participants may enter and leave the church at any times during the hour, Vanderbeek said.

The 8th Annual Romulus service organized by the city's Minister's Association is being coordinated by Victor D. Parker of the Romulus Wesleyan Church.

The annual Spring rummage sale and baked goods sale of the First United Methodist Church of Wayne (located across from the Wayne Post Office) will be held from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. May 22 and 9 a.m. to noon on May 23. On that final

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those in the "Plus Room."

An annual Spring revival sponsored by the Beulah Missionary Baptist Church of Westland is slated for 7 p.m. May 18 through May 22.

The church is located at 5651 Middlebelt road, Westland, and the Rev. Kenneth Pierce is the host pastor.

The guest evangelist will be the Rev. J.L. Williams, pastor of the New Bethel Missionary Baptist Church in Blytheville, Ark. He also will deliver the morning message at 10:50 a.m. May 17.

The 27th Annual Polish Festival sponsored by St.Stanislaus Kostka Church will be held on May 23-25 (Memorial Day Weekend) on the parish grounds at 266 Antoine st. (at McKinley st.) in Wyandotte.

Polish, American, Mexican, Italian food booths will be available, as well as bingo games, amusement rides and Vegas type entertainment. The hours on May 23 will be from noon to 11 p.m., May 24 from 12:15 p.m. until 11 p.m. and May 25 from noon to 11 p.m. For more information call

285-9509 or 285-1942.

Attorney Johnnie L. Cochran Jr. -- of O.J. Simpson trial fame - will be the keynote speaker at the 40th anniversary celebration of the ministry of the Rev. Dr. Norflette Mersier of the Christian Temple Baptist Church in Detroit.

Cochran will speak at a banquet planned for 6:30 p.m. May 15th at the International Banquet Center, 400 Monroe street in Greektown (Detroit). Tickets cost \$50 each and more than 600 persons are expected to attend. Call 313-342-9545, 925-0671 or 342-1855 for more information.

A weekend of music featuring hammer dulcimer instruction and concerts by Charlene Helen Berry of Plymouth will be held May 15-17 at Camp Talahi in Pickney. For more information call camp secretary Pam Miller at 810-664-8861 ext.

Major Brian Merritt of the Romulus Salvation Army Adult Rehabilitation Center reminds residents that Salvation Army crews are helping with after tornado efforts in both Tennessee and Arkansas.

More than 100 persons were injured recently when a pair of tornadoes tore through downtown Nashville, Tenn. Later another tornado ripped through Manila, Ark., killing two small children and injuring 20 others.

Donations for tornado relief efforts can be mailed to any local Salvation Army office. Checks should be plainly marked "Disaster Relief."

Anti-casino efforts in Michigan are being stepped up in current weeks, as the deadline to amass about 248,000 registered voter signatures is now less than a month away.

The Rev. Allen B. Rice, formerly of Belleville, released information published recently by the New York Times newspaper that outlines the fact that suicides are rising in the area frequented by casino gambling.

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SEND INFORMATION Items for the Michigan Community Newspapers Community Calendar should be submitted in writing at least one to two weeks in advance of publication to "Community Calendar," Michigan Community Newspapers, 35540 Michigan Ave., Wayne, MI. 48184. Each brief calendar item should be listed on a separate piece of paper. For more information call the newsroom at 729-4000 Ext. 43.

VETS HELPING VETS Veteran's Haven Inc. at 450 S. Venoy road in Westland has been given a new grant award to help honorably discharged U.S. veterans, who are disabled, laid off, unemployed or seeking work. Being offered are food, clothing, counseling and job referrals. For more information call 313-728-0527.

FOOD DRIVE The National Association of Letter Carriers and the U.S. Postal Service will team up with the Gleaners Community Food Bank to collect non-perishable food items from local households this Saturday in the Metro-Detroit area (including Western Wayne communities). A press conference was held Tuesday to outline the effort to help supply 300 feeding agencies with the expected 200,000 pounds to be collected on Saturday. Local residents are urged to leave the donated food items near their mail box this Saturday.

BEREAVEMENT CAMP for children ages 5-15, who have experienced the death of a loved one, will be conducted from Sept. 11-13 by the Heartland Home Health Care and Hospice. Registration for the free camp needs to be completed by June 1. For more information contact Zenola Green at 248-948-1019.

SCHOOL REGISTRATION for the 1998-99 year is currently in operation at the St. Aloysius Catholic School in Romulus for grades K- 8. The kindergarten program is on an all day 5-day a week basis. The school is near both I-275 and I-94. For more information call 941-3340.

GOLF OUTING hosted by the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor will be held June 17 at the Pheasant Run Golf Club of Canton. Tickets are \$350 each or \$1,000 for a foursome. Tee-off is at 10 a.m. A cocktail session will take place



Driver cited

Romulus School Board Secretary Betty M. Lenossi, left, presents an official retirement resolution plaque to Paulette Stockman, who is stepping down after 18 years of dedicated service as a Romulus school bus driver. MCN Special Photo

ata 4 p.m. followed by a dinner and awards ceremony. For more information call 734-712-3192.

VOLUNTEERS SOUGHT by Beaumont/Hospital in Royal Oak for prostate enlargement medications and heart attack research. Male volunteers are sought for the non-cancerous prostate enlargement medication study. All medications and testing are free. Call the Department of Urology ata 248-551-3355 for more information. Heart testing volunteers should be 50 and over and will receive free medication and blood pressure testing through the Cardiology Research Department. Call 248-551-5986 for more information.

SPRING BOAT SHOW USA will be held at Metro Beach (north end of Lake St. Clair) from noon to 8 p.m. on May 14-17. Large boats will be displayed on the water and smaller ones on shore. All can be checked on board by visitors. Hot food and drink are available. Musical entertainment will be offered May 16-17. Admission is \$5 for adults and children under 12 will be admitted free. For more information call Jack Leverenz or Jim Dixon at 313-884-1776.

GEM AND MINERAL SHOW sponsored by the Midwest Minearalogicala and Lapidary Society of Dearborn will take place on May 15-17 at the Dearborn Civic Center at Michigan and Greenfield. Canadian gems and minerals will be featured at this 24th annual show. Tickets cost \$4 for adults, \$3 for senior citizens and \$1 for teenagers. Show hours are 5 to 9 p.m. May 15, 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. May 16 and 11 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. May 17. For more information call Bill Peach at 734-878-4393.

HEAD START in Van Buren School District is now accepting applications for three and four year olds. The free program serves part of Lincoln, Huron and Airport families residing in Wayne County. Children involved come from low income families, foster children and children with disabilities. Call Sandy or Katrina at 734-480-3500 for more information.

WESTLAND CHAMBER DI-RECTORY The chamber's annual membership directory and Community Guide has been released and sent to 35,000 residents and businesses. For more information call 734-326-7222.

WESTLAND GOLF CLASSIC The 18th annual Westland Chamber of Commerce Golf Classic is slated to begin at 8:30 a.m. sharp on June 16 at the Pheasant Run Golf Club in Canton. Registration and a continental breakfast will precede the outing at 7:30 a.m. North Brothers Ford is the event's major sponsor. For more information call 734-326-7222

WESTLAND CHAMBER SPRING DINNER DANCE is slated to begin at 6:30 p.m. May 29 at Joy Manor, 28999 Joy road in Westland. ATHENA award winner and Business Person of the Year will be announced. Tickets cost \$30 per person and can be obtained by calling 734-326-7222.

RACE FOR CURE Students in Sally Yentz's class at Pioneer Middle School are holding a Race for the Cure candy necklace sale with the profits being used to aid breast can-

cer studies.

GRANT WRITING COURSE is being offered at Madonna University in Livonia on Fridays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. on May 15 and 29 and June 5 and 12. The non-credit fee is \$190. Students will learn to create a funding proposal, write a successful grant and identify funding sources. For more information call 734-432-5364.

PSYCHOLOGY WORKSHOP called Thinking Like a Therapist will be held from 6 to 10 p.m. on July 10 and 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on July 18 at Madonna University in Livonia. The non-credit cost is \$95. For more information call 734-432-5731.

BUSINESS AFTER HOURS sponsored by the Belleville Chamber of Commerce will be held from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. May 18 at the Tin Pan Saloon, 19350 Sumpter road. For more information call 313-697-7151.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL will be held from June 19-21 in Belleville. Carnival rides, arts and crafts, musical entertainment, health screenings and an annual parade with the queen's pageant will be featured.

HALL OF FAME The inaugural induction ceremonies for the Belleville High School Distinguished Graduates Hall of Fame will be held at 2 p.m. May 17 in the Belleville High School auditorium, 555 W. Columbia, Belleville. The National Honor Society Induction ceremonies will be jointly conducted.

JUSTICES TO SPEAK Michigan Supreme Court Justice Clifford W. Taylor and Chief Justice Maura Corrigan of the Michigan Court of Appeals will be the guest speakers at the 7 p.m. May 11 meeting of the Westland Republican Club. The meeting will be at Amentea's Restaurant at Warren and Venoy roads in Garden City. Meeting is open to the

CAMP STAFF SOUGHT Positions are still available for the Catholic Youth Organization's camps this summer. Being sought are camp administrators, counselors and life guards. Dates of employment are from July 1 to Aug. 8. Applicants must be 17 years old or older. For more information call 313-963-9758.

SUMMER CAMPERS ranging in age from 7 1/2 to 16 can now enroll in CYO Camps located near Port Sanilac. They will feature outdoor fun, meeting new friends and learning about nature. For more information call 313-963-9758.

MALCOLM X DAY will be marked will a play, song dedication and essay recitation about the life of Malcolm X from 10 a.m. to noon May 19 at the Museum of African American History, 315 E. Warren Ave. in Detroit. At 6:30 that night the Malcolm X movie directed by Spike Lee will be shown. For more information call 313-494-5800.

ROMULUS HEAD START is now recruiting eligible 3 and 4 year olds for the September class. The free pre-school program is conducted at the old Beverly School at 35408 Beverly road, near Wayne road. It serves children from low income families, foster children

WAYNE MEMORIAL REU-NION for class of 1983 is slated for Sept. 26 at Roma's of Garden City. Call Reunions Made Easy, 248-360-7004, press 1.

JOHN GLENN HIGH SCHOOL Class of 1973 plans reunion on Oct. 10 at St. Aidan's Center in Livonia. Call Reunions Made Easy, a248-366-7004, press 2.

JOHN GLENN HIGH SCHOOL Class of 1978 is planning a reunion on Oct. 24 at the Holiday Inn in Livonia. Call Reunions Made Easy at 248- 360-7004, press 9.

WOODHAVEN HIGH SCHOOL Class of 1988 is planning a reunion on Nov. 27 at the Marriott Hotel in Romulus. Call Reunions Made Easy at 810-366-9493, press 4.

CHILD SAFETY PROGRAM will begin National Police Week with a program 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. May 9 at the Livonia Mall, 29514 Seven Mile road (at Middlebelt road), Livonia. Officer Ollie (don't tell him he is only a dummy) will be there and children will be given sheriff's whistles and Jr. Deputy badges. For more information call Jim Gray at 248-476-1160.

FREE BLOOD PRESSURE SCREENINGS offered from noon to 2 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month at Garden City Hospital, 666245 Inkster Road.

CHOLESTEROL SCREENING is offered from noon to 2 p.m. the first Tuesday of the month in the lobby of Garden City Hospital, 6245 Inkster Road. There is a \$5 fee.

CANCER SURVIVORS PICNIC a free meal for survivors of cancer and their families will be offered June 28 at Garden City Park (corner of Cherry Hill and Merriman). Food, entertainment and fellowship are being offered. Call 313-458-3313 or 458-4330 for more information.

ALZHEIMER'S SUPPORT GROUP for victims and family members will meet at 7 p.m. June 10 in Classroom 1 of the Garden City Hospital Office Building. Call 458-4330 for more information.

BALLROOM DANCING CLASSES are being offered at 1 p.m. May 7 at the Westland Friendship Center. Classes are open to couples or singles of all ages. Will focus on the waltz, Fox Trot, Cha Cha, mambo and tango. For more information call 722-7632.



\$1,000 winner

The lucky phone number that enabled one of our readers to win \$1,000 in our Give-Away contest was found in Reliable Door Sales' ad in last week's paper. Randy Bowen, left, and Jack Lipscomb, own Reliable. This week's winner, Darwin Schoolmaster of Romulus, was not available to be present in this photo due to an emergency. Although, we assure you, Mr. Schoolmaster was presented with his \$1,000 check.



Wayne County Executive Ed McNamara (center) is greeted at a recent Greater Romulus Chamber of Commerce luncheon by Superintendent of Schools Dr. William Bedell (left) and Mayor William Oakley (right). MCN Special Photo

Story time

Alex Arsenault (center) listens to a story told during story hour at the Wayne Public Library by children's librarian Paulette Medvecky. MCN photo by Joan Dyer-Zinner

The Michigan Community Newspapers want to assist you in publicizing your upcoming event. Carefully fill in the following information form and mail it to the Community Calendar, c/o the Michigan Community Newspapers, 35540 Michigan Ave., Wayne, MI. 48184. You may also fax the item to 313-729-6088. Deadline is the Friday before publication

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DeHart announces re-election bid

State Representative Eileen DeHart (D-Westland) today announced she will seek reelection to her seat in the Michigan House of Representatives representing House District 18, which includes Westland and portions of Can-

"It has been an honor to serve the residents of my district, and I look forward to meeting and talking with people during the campaign to hear the issues that concern us the most," DeHart said. "My campaign to hear the issues that concern us the most," De-Hart said. "My campaign will focus on seniors, families, education, and common values we share here in the Westland

Rep. DeHart is the Assistant Associate Speaker Pro Tempore of the House of Representatives, where she often presides over daily legislative session. She also chairs the House Public Retirement Committee, and serves on the House committees on Consumer Protection, Corrections, Oversight and Ethics, and Senior Citizens and Veterans Af-

Rep. DeHart has sponsored several pieces of legislation this session, including legislation to create a "do not call" list that state residents can register with avoid getting telemarketing calls.

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the work we have done in the area of consumer protection this session," DeHart said. "We have passed several bills that give the power back to the consumer in cases of telemarketing abuse, defective products and fraud."

Rep. DeHart also said the campaign will focus on senior citizens and retirement. Currently, House Democrats have been pushing to get more nursing home inspectors in the state Department.

Consumer and Industry Services in the wake of several news reports about patient abuse and neglect in state nursing homes.

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secure and safe retirement," DeHart said. "Along with my House colleagues, I have been working on proposals to ensure our senior citizens are treated with respect and dignity."

Rep. DeHart and her husband, Ben, live in Westland, where they have resided for 32 years. They have five children and 9 grandchildren. She is serving her second term in the

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Births

Tristian Robert Mullins was born on April 1, 1998 weighing 7 pounds, 2 ounces and was 21 inches long. Wayland and Melissa Mullins of Westland, are the proud parents of this newborn baby. Little Tristian's grandparents are Richard and Georgian Pepper of Westland and Kathleen Mullins of Tay-

Brandon Lee Farmer was born on April 1, 1998 weighing 7 pounds, 6 ounces and was 19 1/2 inches long. Donna Foster and Rick Farmer of Inkster, are the proud parents of this newborn baby. Little Brandon's grandparents are Carol and Norman Korowski of Brooklyn and William Farmer of Garden City. His new brother and sisters are John, Tonya, and Jennifer Foster.

Jordan Olivia Blazer was born on April 4, 1998 weighing 7 pounds, 14 ounces and was 20 1/2 inches long. John and Angela Blazer of Wayne, are the proud parents of this newborn baby. Little Jordan's grandparents are Jess Blazer of Wayne and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Robinson and Robert Robinson of Myrtle Beach.

Keith Michael Cowger was born on April 7, 1998 weighing 8 pounds, 6 ounces and was 20 inches long. Michael and Mary Cowger of Belleville, are the proud parents of this newborn baby. Little Keith's grandparents are Terry and Anita Cowger of Belleville and Alfred and Rebecca Sutfin of Leslie.

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and staff in the Plymouth-Canton Community School District have something to celebrate.

The school district was recently informed that their North Central Association of Colleges and Schools (NCA) accreditation was extended through the 1997-98 school

"Along with hosting periodic on-site evaluations by a visiting team of educators, each NCA school is accredited on the basis of an annual report on conditions in the school and on such supplementary information as the Commission on Schools requests. The continued accreditation means that the conditions for effective education exist in the school," said principals Patricia Patton, Plymouth Canton High School and Gerald Ostoin, Plymouth Salem High School.

But just because they achieve NCA status every year doesn't make it easy. Each school year the district goes that their seniors are graduating from an accredited facility and therefore can be accepted to any college or university.

"A lot of colleges will not consider a student unless they are from an accredited school," said Joan Claeys, Plymouth- Canton School Dis-

The NCA approves the high school courses and verifies that high school teachers are teaching courses based on their teaching credentials from the state.

Claeys said 87% of Plymouth-Canton Community School graduates go on to a two or four year college.

The North Central Association is the largest of the country's regional accrediting agencies. It is a voluntary coalition of over 8,400 schools and over 1,000 colleges and universities in the 19-state region of the central United States. The Association works with schools to improve the quality of education through a continuous process of accreditation and evaluation. NCA currently accredits 1,224 schools in Michigan.

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Girl Scouts tour Museum

Schweitzer Cluster Girl and find out you weighed 50 Scouts went to Michigan Space Museum in April.

Junior Troop #373 and bridging Brownie Troop #441 went to fulfill the requirements of the Aerospace Badge.

All has a great time, learned a great deal. They were able to touch some of the exhibits to

see how they worked. They could get on a scale

pounds on Earth, 156 pounds on Jupiter and 9 pounds on

Junior Girl Scout Katelyn Lasley brought freeze dried pizza and freeze dried ice cream and shared it with her troop at the next meeting. The decision was divided on taste. Some liked the ice cream and some liked the pizza.

Elementary

accreditation

Principal Becky Moore of

Hulsing Elementary School

announced that the school's

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accreditation has been extended through the 1998-99 school year. This action was taken at the NCA's Annual Meeting in Chicago, Illinois, on

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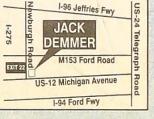
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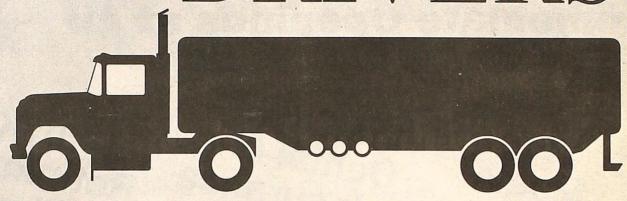
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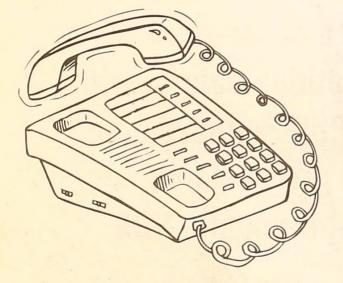
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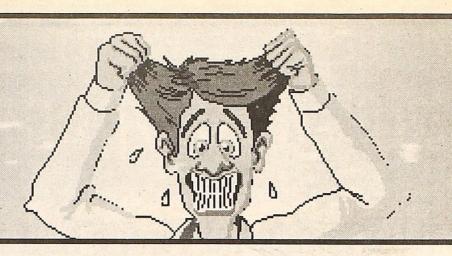
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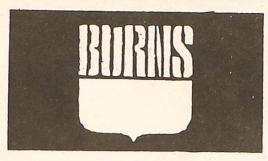
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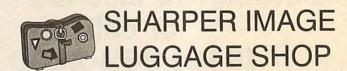
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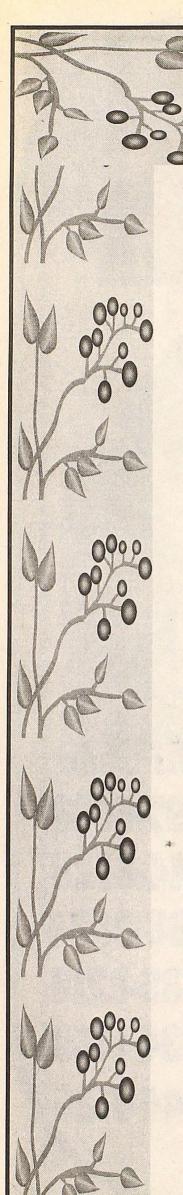
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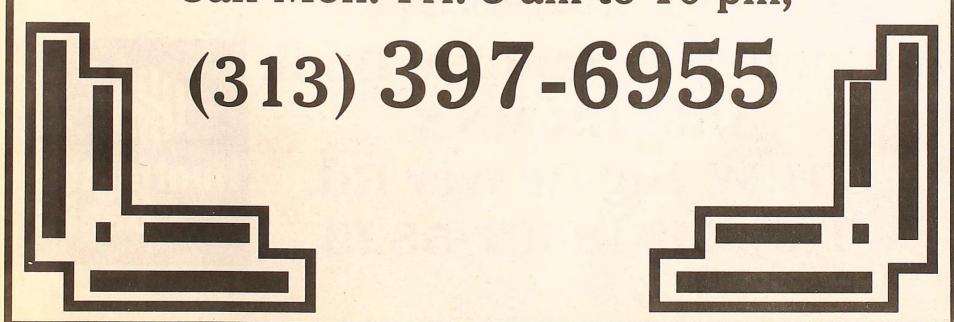
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STATE OF MICHIGAN **55TH CIRCUIT COURT FAMILY DIVISION** Order for Publication on Hearing

TO: Cherie Green, 2472 Cartwright, Romulus, Michigan 48174 IN THE MATTER OF: Kayla D. Henderson, DOB 3-19-97. CASE NO.: 98-

A Preliminary Hearing petition has been filed in the above matter. A hearing on the petition will be conducted by the court on Thursday, May 28, 1998 at p.m. The following goods 10:00am in the Clare

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IT IS THEREFORE OR-**DERED** that Cherie Green personally appear before the court at the time and place stated above.

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Passed away April 22, 1998 at St. Anthony Medi-cal Center in Rockford, IL. Bom December 11, 1921 in Highland Park, Ml. Son of Herman T. and Clara S. Von Hartwig Arends Rockford resident for 14 yrs. coming from Wayne, MI, where he lived for 43 yrs and practiced dentistry. He married Mavis E. Hov er, April 15, 1944 in Niag-ara Falls, NY. Employed as a dentist in private practice in Wayne, MI for many yrs. retiring in 1985. Served in the U.S. Navy during World War II and the Korean War. Past President and Rotary Fellow of the Wayne Chapter of Rotarians; Founding member of Guardian Lu-theran Church in Dearborn, MI. Devoted loving husband, father and grandfather in his retirement yrs. His loves were Mavis, art, his children and grandchildren. Survivors include his wife, Mavis Arends of Rockford; son, George (Rhonda) Arends M.D. of Rockford; daughter, Pat (Pat) Lawless of Moline, IL; 5 grandchildren, Dana, Kristin & Mark Arends; Katie & Christy Lawless; brother, Dr. Nor man (Erma) Arends of Crystal Lake, Ml. Predeceased by a sister, Elean-or Arends. Memorial services were held at Mt Olive Lutheran Church 2001 North Alpine Rd. Rockford, IL., on Saturday, April 25, 1998. Memorials to Mt. Olive Lutheran Church. Arrangements by Fred C. Olson Funeral

CARR, WILLIAM CLAIR Age 83 of Plymouth

Chapels, Ltd. North Chap-

el, 2811 N. Main Street,

Rockford, IL. 61104.

passed away April 21, 1998. Beloved husband of Eileen Mae Carr. Dear father of Nancy (Gerald) R. Patterson, Donald A. Hohmann and Susan J. Larkins. Also survived by brother Wilbert C. Carr. Preceded in death by par-ents Ernest O. and Nannie L. Carr. Services were held April 24 at Vermeulen Funeral Home in Plymouth with interment at Detroit Memorial Park West in Redford Twp. Memorials to Muscular Dystrophy Assoc. would be appreciated.

CROMWELL, HUGO

Age 86 of Westland, passed away April 28, 1998. Dear father of JoAnn (Andy) Hill and grandfather of Michelle (John) Hayden. Preceded in death by his parents Frank O. and Mary Cronwall. Services were held May 1 at Vermeulen Funeral Home in Plymouth, MI. Memorials to Senior Alliance in Wayne would be appreciated.

DUMONT, IRENE V.

Age 75 of Romulus, passed away April 25, 1998. Dear mother of John J., Gary R., Ronald L., Larry A., Rosemary (John S.) Sharkany, Connie (Chester) Poore and Josephine (James) Moore. Oth-er survivers include 2 brothers, 1 sister, 24 grandchildren and 33 great grandchildren. Preceded in death by husband John J., 1 son, 1 brother and 2 sisters. Services were held at Oakley Funeral Home in Dade City, Fla. with interment at Chapel Hill Gardens in Dade City, Fla. Arrange-ments by Crane Funeral Home in Romulus.

FORBES, WILLIAM A.

Age 80 of Inkster, passed away March 28, 1998. He leaves to moum his pass-ing wife, Everlena, sister, Jeanette, children, Juanita, Maggie, Sandra, Eddie, Aaron, James and Andrew. Also 18 grandchildren, 26, great grandchil-dren and 1 great great

grandchild. Arrangements were intrusted to Penn Funeral Home in Inkster with services held April 4 at Holy Family Catholic Church

GORMAN, RAYMOND J. Age 57 of Belleville, for-merly of Luna Pier, passed away April 25, 1998. Survived by brother Robert (Patricia Thomas) Gorman, niece Kay Gorman and 8 cousins. He was the son of the late Ralph and Katherine (Hillman) Gorman. Services were held April 27 at David C. Brown Funeral Home in Belleville with interment at Hillside Cemetery in Belleville.

HARKAI, FRANK

Age 76 of Belleville passed away April 24, 1998. Beloved husband o the late Elizabeth (Betty) Harkai. Dear father of Dennis M. (Marsha) and Gary (Catrina) and dear son the late Laslo and Sophia (Farkas) Harkai. Survived by 2 sisters, 4 grand-children and 1 great grandchild. Also preceded in death by son Robert and daughter Kimberly. Ser vices were held April 27 at Trinity Episcopal Church in Belleville with interment at Hillside Cemetery. Arrangements by David C. Brown Funeral Home in Belleville.

HEATHSCOTT, NELLIE

Age 73 of Wayne, passed away April 25, 1998. Beloved wife of Elbert. Dear mother of Frances F. Taylor and Robert J. Also survived by sisters Virginia Ray and Lola LaCross. Services were held April 28 at Uht Funeral Home in Westland with interment at Mt. Hope Cemetery in Livonia.

KOSKY, JOSEPH S.

Age 79 of Plymouth, passed away April 22, 1998. Beloved husband of Sandra J. Dear father of Joseph T. (Judith) and Kenneth C. (Tammie). Also survived by 6 grandchildren, Kristy, Keri, Joseph II, Kenny, Staci and Sandi

and 1 sister Elizabeth Nagy. Preceded in death by his parents Andrew and Elizabeth Kosiczki. Services were held April 25 at First United Methodist Church in Plymouth with interment at Parkview Memorial Cemetery in Livo-nia. Arrangements by Vermeulen Funeral Home in Plymouth.

LANTRIP, FRANCES L. Age 82 of Wayne, passed away April 24, 1998. Be-loved wife of James. Dear mother of Agnes R. Hom, Rita Joyce Luhrsen, James Lee, Robert Joe, John Wayne and Roger Dale. Also survived by brother Richard Moore and numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren. Services were held April 28 at Uht Funeral Home in Westland with interment at Glenwood Cemetery in Wayne.

MINER, JR., HARRY E.

Age 80 of Plymouth passed away April 21, 1998. Beloved husband of Dorothy E. Dear father of Patricia (David) Artley, Harry E. (Cindy), Thomas R. (Carol), Kathryn Ghent, Timothy (Jackie) and Dennis (Debbie). Also survived by 1 brother and many nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by parents Harry E. Miner Sr and Jennie Juanita Miner. Services were held April 23 at St. John Neumann Church with interment at United Memorial Gardens in Plymouth. Arrangements by Vermeulen Funeral Home in Plymouth.

MITCHELL, GLORIA J.

Age 51 of Wayne, passed away April 26, 1998. Be-loved wife of James W. Dear mother of James R. Jeffrey D. and Jacqulyn J. Survived by her parents Mr. & Mrs. Raymond Schopper, 1 brother and 3 sisters. Services were held April 30 at St. John Lutheran Church with interment at Glen Eden Cemetery in Livonia. Arrange-ments by Uht Funeral Home in Westland.

PASCOE, IRENE D. Age 76 of Westland,

passed away April 27, 1998. Beloved wife of the late Earl (Bert). Dear moth-er of Arlene (Dave) and Thomas (Debbie). Also survived by granddaughter Lorene, grandson Thomas and brother James. Services were held May 1 at Uht Funeral Home in Westland with interment at Glen Eden Cemetery in Livonia.

SKRZYPEK, HELEN (AKA OSTROWSKI/ MURZIN)

Resident of Wayne passed away April 24, 1998. Beloved mother of Christine O. (Ronald) Johnson, Grandmother of Ross, Kyle and Brian. Dear sister of Stella Glegola and Stanley Murzyn. Services were held April 28 at Harry J. Will Funeral Home in Wayne and St. Mary Cath-Church. Donations to Salvation Army appreciat-

TOURNIER, SR., MICHAEL R.

Age 60 of Belleville, passed away April 26, 1998. Dear father of Benjamin Toumier and the late Michael Tournier, Jr., step father of Jeannie Lynn Da-vis and Rocky McClure. Loving son of Leatha (Camer) Toumier and the late Theophile Tournier. Also survived by 1 sister, 5 grandchildren, 1 niece and 1 nephew. Services were held April 29 at David C. Brown Funeral Home in Belleville with interment at Hillside Cemetery in Belleville

WARE, MILDRED

Age 79 of Detroit, passed away April 4, 1998. She leaves to mourn her pass ing, 1 son William Edward, 2 grandsons Lawrence and William, 5 great grandchildren plus a host of family and friends. The services were held April 9 at Penn Funeral Home in Ink

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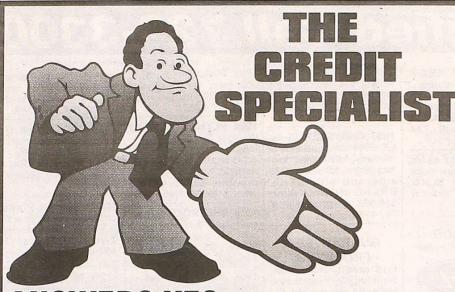
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V-8, loaded, moonroof, 41,000 miles. Stk. #12466A

1996 Sable GS

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mo.

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Red, 29,000 miles, loaded. Stk. #12537

/ per

1996 Probe GT



Automatic, moonroof, loaded, 18,000 miles. Stk. #12628

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1996 Cavalier Coupe



Auto, air, 26,000 miles, one

mo.

1995 Grand Marquis LS



One owner, 27,000 miles. Stk. #4193A

per

1996 Escort Sport



One owner, automatic 12,000 miles. Stk. #12606

per mo.

Taurus SHO



Auto, loaded, 33,000 miles, one owner, Stk. #5447A

per mo.

1994 Thunderbird LX



V-8, loaded, moonroof, 44,000 miles. Stk. #12455A

per mo.

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Red, Moonroof, 13,000 miles LOADED! Stk. #12577

per

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per

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Black leather, low miles. Stk. #7172B

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